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OWEN COUNTY MAN KILLED IN PORTSMOUTH.

Portsmouth, O., June 19.—G. T. Carter, 22 years old, the young man who was injured in jumping from the front end of a rapidly moving street car, died at the Hemptest hospital without regaining consciousness.

Carter had been a resident of Portsmouth for ten days, having come here from his home at New Liberty, Owen county, Ky., to take employment as a laborer at the N. & W. terminal. His young man was unmarried. His widowed mother, Mrs. Tina Carter, lives at New Liberty, Ky.

A VERY LIVE CORPSE.

L. D. Boggs and family, of Potter, in some way received a report that Mrs. Boggs' father, Elliphus Boggs, had died near Blaine. Relatives procured an automobile and drove out there, expecting to attend the funeral. Coming in sight of the house they saw the venerable old gentleman sitting on his porch, enjoying life as much as usual. He is 84 years old, and was delighted to have the family visit him. He was especially glad to know the report of his death was a false alarm and treated the matter as a joke.

C. & O. EARNINGS.

For the year ending June 30 Chesapeake and Ohio will earn about 10.5 per cent on its stock, compared with 4.24 per cent last year. Practically all of this surplus which will run between \$5,000,000 and \$7,000,000, will have been put back into the property. Directors at the way meeting decided that it was not best to resume dividends now, and nothing has since happened to change that decision.

BARKSDALE HAMLETT IS DECLARED INSANE.

Louisville, Ky., June 12.—Barksdale Hamlett, Superintendent of Public Instruction under the last administration, was adjudged insane by a jury at Elizabethtown, and will be sent to Lakeside Asylum. Hamlett was a candidate for Secretary of State on the Democratic ticket.

ROCKCASTLE CAMP HAUNT OF STORK.

The Huntington Herald says: A certain noted citizen who recently announced his retirement from politics would be much pleased by the return of DeLong, Ky., concerning the activities of the stork in the lumber camp town of the Rockcastle Lumber company, near DeLong. There are sixty-five families in this camp and, according to the statement accredited to Dr. Solomon Casebolt, the company physician, there were fifty-three births during the year 1915, including six pairs of twins and one set of triplets.

The Rockcastle Lumber company has its general offices here and General Manager M. N. Offutt vouches for the veracity of Dr. Casebolt.

HANDSOME NEW HOUSE.

Capt. T. D. Marcum has a force of carpenters rushing to completion a handsome new frame residence on 21st-st. street just west of the Marcum home in Catlettsburg. The new house has seven rooms and a bath, and is a model of convenience. It was rented before he began work on it.

PIKE COUNTY NEWS

MAN KILLED BY LIMB FALLING ON HIM.

On last Friday morning Mr. Thomas Parley, of Steele, Fed's creek, this county, was instantly killed while cutting the shade from around his corn field. He was cutting a tree when a large limb fell from same striking him on the head, thus bursting his skull and breaking his neck.

His wife and children saw the limb strike him and when they got to him he was dead. He was a respected citizen of Pike county and his loss will be felt very keenly in that neighborhood.

UNCLE SILAS SCOTT DEAD.

On last Saturday afternoon, uncle Silas Scott, of Pikeville, passed away at his home on Fourth-st. He has been sick for more than a year with dropsy of the heart, and death came as a relief to his pain racked body. He is survived by a widow, two daughters and a son. Their many friends extend to them their heart felt sympathy in this hour of bereavement.

MARRIAGES.

John Hamilton, 21, to Gracie Sward, 17; James France, 47, to Elizabeth Blackburn, 47; Jacob Hinkle, 25, to Betha Price, 29; James Blackburn, 43, to Nancy Maynard, 23; John Mike Holt, 21, to Nannie Elizabeth Baldwin, 20.

MARRIAGES.

Mack Farmer, 22, to Tina Damron, 19; Lee Grady Burks, 27, to Mary Alice Tackett, 18; Will Hall, 26, to Lizzie Compton, 16; Scott Newcom, 27, to Eli Mary Gibson, 29; W. M. Wallen, 22, to Virgie Case, 22.

BIG SANDY HOTEL CHANGING HANDS.

Mr. Mat Whitt, a prominent timber dealer and wealthy farmer of Steele, has purchased the Big Sandy Hotel of this city of Mr. S. H. Wright. The people of Pikeville welcome Mr. Whitt to our city but regret to lose Mr. Wright.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. Ernest Walker, who has been attending school at Berea for the past nine months, returned to Pikeville Monday evening.

Miss June Corbin returned home Friday evening from Georgetown, Ky., where she has been attending school.

George Justice of Fish Trap, was a prominent business visitor in the city Monday.

Mrs. Roscoe Vanover and daughter Elizabeth, returned home Thursday from Crumder City, Okla., where they have been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Whitt.

Miss On Crutchfield, who has been visiting her father at Wayneville, N. C., returned to Pikeville last week to resume her work with the Eastern Kentucky Home Telephone Co.

Miss Edna Whitaker has gone to her home at Seco, Letcher-co. She has been in the employ of the Eastern Kentucky Home Telephone Co. here for the past year.

Burns A. Ratliff, son of J. E. Ratliff, County Court Clerk of Pike-co., returned home Monday from Bowling Green where he has been attending the Bowling Green Business University for a few months.

Ben Hall, a prominent merchant of Helier was a business caller in Pikeville Tuesday.

Matt Whitt of the Lewis Fork was a business visitor here Monday.

Carl Young of Pico has accepted a position in the County Court Clerk's office.

N. A. Ramey, County Surveyor of Kewanee, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

George Pinson, Jr., is a business visitor at down the river points this week.

Attorney Roscoe Vanover, candidate for Appellate Judge spent last week in Letcher-co., in the interest of his candidacy.

Miss Katharine Keel and Ora Hatch have been visiting relatives and friends at Coal Run for a few days.

Kelsey Taylor is very sick at his home on Front-st.

P. T. Hatcher and son Jack have gone to the St. Louis convention this week.

Dave Hatcher of Linwood is a visitor in Pikeville.

B. M. Bartley of Lookout is a business visitor here.

The Pikeville Baptist church held its annual business meeting Wednesday evening and closed the year without debt.

Orrie Whitt, of Steele returned to Pikeville Tuesday evening. He has been in a dental school at Louisville for some time.

Dr. W. H. C. Johnson of Virgie, one of Pike county's wealthiest business men is in Pikeville on business this week.

Dr. Abe Hughes, of Yeager, is visiting his brother here this week.

Dr. D. D. Bodenheimer is at Hazard this week to erect a Veterinary hospital.

Uncle John W. Lee of Belcher is a business visitor in the city this week.

Mrs. W. B. Johnson of Virgie is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Adkins of this city.

T. J. Smith is visiting home folks on Joe's creek this week.

Rev. C. C. Daves was a business visitor at Allen, Ky., Wednesday.

FLOYD COUNTY'S RECORD FOR WEEK.

News From Prestonsburg and the Surrounding Country.

Surprise Party.

The little friends of Miss Elizabeth Cockell of Helier, gave her a surprise party Tuesday evening in the "Garden of Smiles." The early part of the evening Miss Elizabeth gave a theater party in Miss Cockell's honor which was enjoyed very much by Misses Eliza Cockell, Nellie and Tot Allen, Sallie Gatewood Ligon, Roberta Bradley, Josephine Davidson, Ora Callahan and Mary Spradlin, Mary Margaret Richmond and Era Blair.

Entertains To Five O'Clock Dinner.

Mrs. W. P. McVay entertained to five o'clock dinner Saturday Mrs. Cockell, of Henry Clay, Miss Elizabeth Cockell, Helier, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Evans and Miss Nellie Allen.

Huff-Robinette Case Continued.

The case of the Commonwealth against A. J. Huff and son, Britain, was continued until the October term of court. Mr. Huff and son are charged with killing Ben Robinette last October and so wounding Wyonda Auxier that his recovery is doubtful.

Married In Fort Gay.

Miss Thelma Ellis, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ellis, and Mr. Wm. Bunting, 27, left last Friday on the afternoon train and were married at Ft. Gay. It was quite a surprise to her many friends who never suspected that "Cupid" was using so many arrows. They returned Monday evening from Columbus and other Ohio cities.

Their many friends extend congratulations. They expect to begin house-keeping next week in Mrs. Nellie Roberts home on Highland-av.

Returns From California.

Miss Josephine Anna Harkins returned Monday night from an extended visit to friends in Los Angeles, Cal., and Amoria, Texas. She is looking splendid and reports a wonderful trip. Her brother, Walter Scott, who has been in school at Danville, Ky., for the past season, is expected to return with her.

Entertains To Dinner.

Miss Ella Noel White had as her dinner guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., Miss Ruth Davidson and Archer Wilson.

Oklahoma Visitors.

Mrs. California Branham and daughter, Sallie, from Tulsa, Okla., are visiting Mrs. D. O. Harmon and Mrs. Jas. Sizemore.

Locals and Personals.

Mrs. Oriole Carnahan and little daughter, Marie Ives and Miss Ethel Stephens are visiting Mrs. D. B. Stephens at Allen, Ky.

Charles Keyser, Jr., of Keyser, was in the city Monday.

Thomas Harmon of Pikeville has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dickerson on "Third-st."

Mrs. Cockrell of Henry Clay, and little granddaughter, Elizabeth Cockrell, of Helier, are visiting Mrs. C. W. Evans.

Miss Inez Cottrell, who has been specializing in music at Martha Washington College, in Abington, Va., has returned home.

Mrs. James Salisbury and daughter Miss Maude, and Mrs. M. J. Leete attended the graduation exercises of Miss Ruth Salisbury from the Holy School in Ashland last Wednesday.

Miss Mabel and Marion Mayo, who have been attending the Germantown Military Institute at Germantown, O., returned home last week. His many friends are glad to see him at home.

Rev. J. J. Clear of Louisville preached at the Baptist church last Friday night. Rev. Clear held a series of meetings at the Baptist church this winter. He was the pleasant guest of Prof. and Mrs. A. C. Harlowe while here.

Will Caudill of Pikeville is calling on the merchants this week.

Miss Douglas Porter returned home last week from Richmond, Ky., where she has been attending school.

Mrs. B. F. Combs and niece, Miss Herma Sturgill, attended the commencement exercises of E. Ky. Normal College at Richmond last week. Miss Herma was one of the graduates.

Mrs. Fred Irvin has been visiting in Jackson, O. She was accompanied home by her sister and niece.

P. D. Davis returned Saturday from Charleston, W. Va., where he was initiated into the Shikars.

Miss Olga May, who has been visiting her cousin at Jenkins, returned Saturday.

Mrs. Kate Burchett and Mrs. E. P. Arnold spent Sunday at Water Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hutsiniller entertained Mr. E. P. Arnold to dinner Sunday.

Miss Edith Fitzpatrick has been in Van Lear all week playing for the Leck Company.

Burks of Kenova, W. Va., is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack May, Miss Mabel Mayo and Olga May visited Mr. Richard Mayo in the country Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo Davidson spent Saturday and Sunday at Water Gap, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Cooley.

P. D. Davis was in Paintsville Monday on business.

O. P. Powers was in Lexington last week.

A. M. Campbell of Louisa was here a few days ago.

Dr. C. L. Pritchard is here as a witness in the Huff-Robinette case.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wells spent Sunday at Auxier, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Archer.

B. C. Holfield is here from Auxier. Marcus Davis, the piano tuner is here doing some work.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Minix and Dr. and Mrs. Hauley Allen from Garrett are registered at the Hotel Elizabeth.

P. D. Powers has returned home from Berea where he has been attending college.

Mrs. N. M. White, Jr. and Ruth Davidson spent the day Wednesday at Cliff, the guest of Mrs. Bascom May.

Mrs. W. J. Fitzpatrick came up from Paintsville Tuesday to accompany her son, George, Herman, home. He has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. Loete for the last few weeks.

Mrs. Fred Erwin is very sick at her home on Highland-av.

D. O. Harmon went to Wayland Saturday to visit his daughter, Mrs. E. A. Stumbo. Mrs. Stumbo and little daughter returned to Prestonsburg with him Monday.

Messrs. J. S. Jackson of Tenn., and Crisp of Allen are here in the picture business.

Mrs. Riddle Mayo and little daughter, Margaret left Tuesday for Paintsville. Mrs. Mayo has charge of the school at Van Lear.

Mrs. Oliver Stumbo was out Wednesday after a several weeks illness. Her many friends are glad to see her on the streets again.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mayo were in town shopping Wednesday.

Mr. Frederick of Portsmouth, Ohio is here this week in the interest of a typewriter company.

Joe M. May left Thursday morning for Toledo, Ohio, where he has accepted a position with the Overland automobile company. He was a graduate in mechanical engineering at State college in June.

(Prestonsburg Post.)

Rev. C. A. Dugger, of Pikeville supplied at the Methodist church Sunday morning and Superintendent Hollister in the evening. Rev. Jackson is away on a short vacation.

Miss Josephine Harkins, who has been visiting friends in California, Texas, etc., for the past month or two is expected home the latter part of the week. Also Walter S. Jr., who has been in Center College at Danville, Ky., for the past season, is expected to return with her.

Mrs. Fred Irvine, who has been visiting relatives at Wellston, O., returned to her home here Wednesday. She was accompanied home by her sister and niece.

Mr. H. H. Fitzpatrick was visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ligon at Sealsville, O., the first of the week and was accompanied home by his little granddaughter Sallie Gatewood Ligon.

Bruce H. Atkinson, of Balyersville, but recently of Garrett, Ky., has accepted a position with offices at Prestonsburg and is already on the field. Mr. Atkinson is well prepared for business being a full graduate of Magoffin Institute and is already making a fine record for himself in the business world. We extend him a most cordial welcome to our town.

Joe May returned this week from the State University at Lexington, Ky., where he graduated June 1 from the school of Civil Engineering. He has already accepted a lucrative position with a Philadelphia firm and will leave after a few days rest for his new field.

Mr. May is one of Prestonsburg's most popular and exemplary young men and his many friends here will regret to see him located so far from home. His mother went to see him graduate and accompanied him home after a brief visit to friends in Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. Elizabeth Goble and daughter, Mrs. Len Moles were shopping in Huntington Friday and Saturday.

Dr. Oscar Endicott, who formerly filled prescriptions for the Star Drug Co., was here recently calling on friends.

Misses Bess Shepherd, Lena Sellards and Elizabeth Butler and Ethel Pinson, of Louisa spent Friday with Misses Minnie Doddy and Arizona Stewart at Beaver Creek.

W. P. Mayo returned from the State University, Lexington, Ky., where he graduated with high honors June 1 from the school of law. Mr. Mayo made a fine record while in school and was elected treasurer of his class. He will practice law with May & Mayo.

Misses Mabel and Marion Mayo, who attended the graduating exercises of their brother at Lexington last week, returned with him Sunday afternoon.

DOINGS OF JOHNSON COUNTY PEOPLE.

News From Paintsville and the Surrounding Country.

(Paintsville Post.)

The Johnson County Fiscal Court was in session three days this week, securing the right of way through the "Narrows" above town for the building of the new road this summer. This road when constructed will connect Paintsville with Van Lear and make the travel much more convenient and be beneficial to both the towns.

Contract for the right of way has been secured from most of the landowners but not all.

The Fiscal Court also contemplates considerable improvement on the road from Paintsville leading to Muddy Branch, also on the road from Paintsville to the mouth of Barnett's creek.

Miss Stella Rice, residing on Ass branch of Jennies creek, received an urgent phone message from Mrs. Yank Rice, Tuesday afternoon to come to her home immediately, that she had been out to the barn and a snake had dropped from a loft onto her and coiled around her neck. She reported the snake had wrapped three times around her neck, but she had succeeded in slaking it off. At the time she phoned for Miss Rice, she was so badly fright-

ened that she was unable to say whether she had been bitten or not, but it later developed that she had not, as no ill effects resulted from her horrifying experience.

Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Conley left for Wilkesborough, N. C., where they will spend a few days the guests of relatives; from there they will go to Mt. Airy, N. C., which is Mrs. Conley's parental home, where they will visit other relatives. They will return home in about ten days by way of Old Virginia.

The many friends of B. F. Cassidy of Wolfe creek are grieved to learn of the seriousness of his illness. It is not thought at this writing that he will recover. Mr. Cassidy is one of Martin county's best citizens, and comes of a large and respected family, and their many friends sympathize with him and his family in their present trouble.

At Inez John C. Fletcher was elected principal of the schools.

George Ward was elected principal of the Warfield school.

Dr. Lloyd Meade has purchased Dr. G. M. Stafford's half interest in the building now occupied by the Big Sandy Drug company on Main-st. Consideration being \$1,600. H. M. Stafford, of this city is the owner of the other half interest.

Miss May Stafford, of this city who has been teaching Expression in the Marion, Va., college, has returned home for her summer vacation. Miss Stafford is a teacher of experience and her services are always in demand.

John P. Wells is very sick at his home this week in East Paintsville. Mr. Wells is suffering with heart trouble, this being the third attack recently. His many friends hope he will recover, but his condition is said to be serious.

Sheriff George W. Spears returned Monday from Richmond, Ky., where he went to take his daughter Miss Sola Spears, who has entered the Eastern Kentucky Normal for a six weeks teachers course. Miss Spears has been employed as one of the teachers in the Van Lear school for this year.

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Ward will move to Paintsville from River. They will occupy the second floor of the residence property of Eugene Daniel in the lower end of town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Burchett are moving from Paintsville to Akron, O., where they will make their home. They have two sons there and the other boys also have positions there.

Mrs. C. M. Cooper and daughter, Miss Olga, left Paintsville Tuesday for West Baden, Indiana, where they will spend two weeks for their health.

The people of Paintsville regret to learn that J. L. Patterson and family will leave Paintsville shortly for Ashland where they will make their future home. Mr. Patterson is now a member of the firm of the Watson Hardware Co., recently reorganized in Ashland. He will be associated with this large firm in the wholesale and retail hardware business, the other stockholders being J. L. Watson, Mr. Whitt and Henry N. Fischer.

The Patterson family moved to Paintsville about seventeen years ago and engaged in the general merchandise business, under the firm name of Fischer & Patterson. Mr. Fischer died a few years after locating here and Mr. Patterson later organized the Big Sandy Hardware Co., which he has successfully managed for a number of years.

The Mayo Memorial church of Paintsville will be dedicated on Sunday, June 25. All the arrangements for the dedication have been made and Dr. W. F. Murray of Louisville, will preach the dedicatory sermon. A full attendance of the members as well as the town people of all the churches are requested.

This is one of the most beautiful churches in Eastern Kentucky and its dedication services will be attended by a large congregation.

Dr. J. Verne Rice, who has been attending the New York Post-Graduate Medical School & Hospital, was recently appointed House Physician of the Post Graduate Hospital by its Board of Directors.

This position, beginning July 1, places Dr. Rice at the head of the intern staff on the Medical Side.

Those knowing Dr. Rice will be pleased to note this recognition of efficiency by one of the leading hospitals in New York City. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Rice of Paintsville.

HURT BY FALL.

Mrs. Tennie Hutchinson, of Huntington, fell when about to step into an automobile Saturday afternoon and was severely injured, her hip being broken.

She was starting to the depot to return home when the accident occurred. It happened in front of the home of her sister, Mrs. Zora Johnson, whom she had been visiting. Owing to Mrs. Hutchinson's advanced age, 72, there was considerable alarm about her condition. Her daughters, Mrs. Cole, of Cincinnati and Mrs. Taylor, of Wayne, and her

son K. F., of Huntington, were called to her bedside. Her condition is slightly improved and it is thought she will be moved to Huntington soon. Mrs. Hutchinson is a sister of K. F. Vinson, of Louisa.

Washington, June 12.—W. Vernon Richardson, of Danville, secretary for Senator James, left Washington to-day for the St. Louis convention, where he will serve as one of the assistant secretaries. Mr. Richardson was notified of his appointment yesterday by J. Bruce Kremer, acting secretary of the National Committee. Senator James' Secretary served in a similar capacity at the Democratic convention at Baltimore and Denver.

The Catlettsburg Independent says: Mrs. H. R. Laughlin and charming little daughters, Rose Alice and Aldine of Jenkins, were over-night guests in this city, joining Mr. Laughlin here, he having just returned from an extensive tour of the Western States in company with a number of railroad magnates, they traveling in a private car. Mr. Laughlin is superintendent of the Sandy Valley and Elkhorn division of the R. & O. railroad and lives at Jenkins. Mrs. Laughlin has been visiting her father, Mr. Patrick Flannery of Gratton, Va., who accompanied her to her home at Jenkins.

SAW MILLS AND MACHINERY FOR SALE.—One 15 h. p. Frick boiler and engine and mill. One 26 h. p. Frick boiler and engine and mill, edger and cut off. One 40 h. p. Enterprise boiler and engine and mill, cut off and edger and log turner. One 50 h. p. American mill, edger and cut off, log turner, cast rolls. EXTRA—Lath Mill, Gasoline Pump, Trimmers. Will make satisfactory terms. Write W. D. BUTT-ON & CO., Pikeville, Ky., or Typo, Ky.

KENTUCKY HEADQUARTERS ARRANGED IN ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., June 10.—Grey Woodson has engaged an entire floor in the Bismark building immediately opposite main entrance of the Jefferson Hotel, where the National Committee headquarters at the Democratic National Convention. A large number of Kentucky delegates will be quartered at Hotel Union, but he engaged rooms at the Missouri Athletic Club for Senators James and Beckham and other delegates.

ARGUMENT BEGINS IN NOTED CASE.

At Catlettsburg after closing the proof in the case of Robert Cokes vs. the Consolidation Coal Co., for personal injury, caused by electricity, the court adjourned until morning, when the argument began. Judge James P. Adams and John W. Rallings argued the plaintiff's side and Judge E. C. O'Rear and W. H. May for the defendant.

Before the case was finally submitted to the jury it was compromised by counsel for \$4500 and costs.

PROF. CRABBE OFFERED A NEW POSITION.

Richmond, Ky., June 10.—Dr. J. G. Crabbe, President of the Kentucky State Normal School and former State Superintendent of Public Instruction, was notified to-day that he was elected President of the Colorado State Teachers' College at an annual salary of \$6,200. Mr. Crabbe will accept.

DIED FROM TONSILLITIS.

Zach Daniel, age 18, hotel clerk in Huntington, died Tuesday of strangulation caused by tonsillitis. All efforts to save his life were futile.